GRASSROOTS by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

General Dawes

THE LATE GEN. CHARLES G. DAWES was an interesting character, a man of many varied experiences. The general, and his brother. Rufus, were almost wholly responsible for the holding in 1933 Chicago's Century of Progress exposition. A group of the city's wealthy men had proposed that such an exposition be held at that time —and then the depression broke.

The proposers objected to financing an exposition at such a time. The two Dawes brothers insisted that, having been announced, the show must go on. During the days it was held I watched Gen. Dawes on many occasions stand in front of a numbering machine in the administration building, as it checked off the visitors, one by one, as they passed through the paid admission turnstiles. In the end, there were enough such admissions to enable the exposition to pay out. Under its charter it could not make a profit, but there was enough left after all bond holders were paid, plus interest, to raze all the buildings, and to beautifully landscape the five mile long lake front park through which rolls every day many thousands of automobiles from within and without the city.

That is one of Chicago's beauty spots, and for it the people of the city can thank the Century of Progress.

Gen. Dawes served his country. As a soldier, he was purchasing agent of the American army in France during the World War. As a civilian he served as vice president, as ambassador to England, as first director of the budget and comptroller of the treasury. The Dawes bank, Central Trust of Illinois, was the first big—$13 million—borrower of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, and every dollar, plus interest, was fully repaid. Through the years he spent in Chicago he was a leader in the city's promotion. For many years a man of wealth, he died comparatively poor.

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It is broadly rumored in Washington that other heads than that of Douglas MacArthur are to fall under the blows of President Truman's execution axe. Rumor has it that J. Edgar Hoover, director of the F.B.I. is included in the next list of victims. Hoover and the F.B.I. have been largely responsible for the conviction of such Russian spies as Alger Hiss.

As political misadventure, the removal of the popular F.B.I. director would be second only to that of the now immortal MacArthur. It would be resented by the American people, and cause them to think, if not express, their opinions as to which side of the iron curtain the President and his advisers, are standing. Politically, it would complete the job so definitely started by the summary removal of MacArthur.

It is possible the disasterous results of the MacArthur decapitation may result in staying the hand of the President in the case of J. Edgar Hoover. His party cannot afford another such result, especially between now and the 1952 elections. Should the people receive another slap in the face within the next few months at the instigation of Dean Acheson, we might as well save the expense of the next election.

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The administration at Washington continuously insists we will offer nothing that will be considered as appeasement to Communism, but at the behest of England, the grand-daddy of all appeasers, and the insistence of the socialistically inclined Dean Acheson, the President fired the one man more generally feared by Stalin and his Red hordes than any one else. That was appeasement, and the American people gave ample evidence that they did not like it.

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Regardless of what President Truman and his advisers may have said or done, the American people have added the name of Douglas MacArthur to the list of the nation's immortals. He will go down in history as one of our truly great.

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As an intense admirer of Gen. MacArthur it pleased me much when he said in San Francisco he was not a candidate for any elective office.

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After seeing and hearing the terrific acclaim with which the American people demonstrated their appreciation of the services of Gen. MacArthur, has the President sufficient intestinal fortitude to admit he fired the wrong man and to rectify his mistake, so far as is possible by removing from his cabinet the men who were responsible for that mistake?

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There are also political chickens that come home to roost.

THE HOME TOWN REPORTER IN WASHINGTON

WALTER SHEAD, WNU Correspondent

Fulbright Backs Truman

ODDLY ENOUGH it remained for Sen. William Fulbright of Arkansas, who only recently was in the limelight exposing irregularities in the reconstruction finance corporation, to take up the cudgel in behalf of President Truman in the MacArthur affair. For in a major speech, the senator went all-out in favor of the President's position on foreign policy and the ouster of General MacArthur and provoked the now, notorious comment from Senator Taft that he thought the joint chiefs of staff nothing but stooges of the administration, a statement Senator Taft will live to regret.

It will be remembered that for the past three years Senator Fulbright has been in the so-called administration "dog-house" insofar as the President is concerned.

It was Fulbright, who, during the heat of the pre-convention fight of 1948, suggested that President Truman resign. Also, his exposures during the RFC probe brought to light some petty irregularities in the President's official family in the White House.

So members of the senate were amazed when the feisty right Fulbright stated that he fully agreed with the foreign policy of our government and had complete faith in the military integrity of our joint chiefs of staff, as opposed to the MacArthur views on foreign policy and the general's demand for an all-out aggressive war against Red China.

After pointing out that the MacArthur views were opposed both politically and militarily, not only by our own government, but by the governments of the entire free world, Senator Fulbright had this to say:

"I do not know what the verdict of history upon Mr. Truman will be. His contemporaries, each being the frailties of human nature, are more likely to exaggerate his faults than to enumerate his virtues, while he, as most men, has a full quota of both. I am not in his good graces. I have spoken with him on official business only once in several years. This, however, does not blind me to the fact that he has made decisions on a number of occasions that equal in imagination, courage and effectiveness any ever taken by an American President. Nearly all of these decisions are without precedent in our history. Some of them are: The dropping of the A-bomb on Japan, aid to Greece and Turkey, the Marshall Plan, the Berlin Airlift, the North Atlantic treaty, the sending of divisions of American troops to Europe in peacetime—troops under the command of General Eisenhower; the going into Korea, a decision that at the time had the approbation of the nation and of nearly the whole of the free world.

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Asks Objective Judgment

"No doubt," Senator Fulbright continued, "that, in the absence of some of these stupendous decisions, much of the present free world would now be lost to us and our struggle against Russia would be the more difficult. These momentous decisions are the President's responsibility, taken though most of them were with the advise and consent of the congress and the people and the approbation of the military.

Mr. Truman remains the President, and in these critical times, I submit that it is necessary for us to keep him in perspective. Let us not permit his occasional lapses of speech or temperament or his misguided loyalty to unworthy friends to endanger a calm and objective judgment on the present controversy."

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Fulbright Is Baited

Throughout his speech, Senator Fulbright was continually baited by interruptions by the same senators who had opposed every step of the way the very acts of President Truman which Senator Fulbright declares are the products of a courage, imagination and effectiveness without precedent in the history of our nation. They were Senators Taft of Ohio, Hickenlooper of Iowa, Knowland of California, Capehart of Indiana, Kem of Missouri, and Jenner of Indiana.

Those coming to the defense of Senator Fulbright and, incidentally, the President, included Senators Kerr of Oklahoma, Maybank of South Carolina, McMahon of Connecticut, Long of Louisiana, Humphrey of Minnesota, and McFarland, the majority leader.

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Paper Criticized Taft

Referring to Senator Taft's attack on the integrity of the joint chiefs, The Washington Star said:

"One of these days Senator Taft will be ashamed of the attacks he has made on the joint chiefs of staff . . . It is not too much to insist that senators should not indulge in the reckless responsibility that characterized Taft's attack on the integrity of the joint chiefs."

Talk by AHS Senior Cites School Problem

(Editor's note: The following talk by Miss Helen Mae Poe, A. H. S senior, was made at a recent panel discussion here on the topic, "Ways in which our schools may be improved in order to serve our community better." Miss Poe's talk received favorable comment, and we are glad to publish it.)

By Miss Helen Mae Poe
Senior Appomattox High School

As a student, I am very much interested in our school, and I want to see it progress. If our school progresses, then our community will grow along with it. It is rather difficult to distinguish the boundaries between the two. To explain the relationship, let's look at a faced shoe. The shoe we shall say is the community, and the lace the school. Of what use would the shoe be to you without the lace and of what use would the lace be to me without the shoe? The lace makes it possible for the shoe to serve its purpose, and the shoe affords the lace an opportunity to prove its usefulness.

The school's obligation to the community is to develop the youth that they might shoulder their civic duties and serve their communities.

I am not prepared to speak of the schools of Appomattox County as a whole because I am not familiar with all of the schools. I can use my school as an example. I am sure the other schools must lack some of the things we do.

It seems to me that our school tends to give preference to money-making matters rather than developing fully the intellectual and cultural side. How often classes are interrupted to see a movie or some athletic event. I participate in sports and I think they are most important in developing a boy and girl, but I do feel that too much time from the class room is given to sports. Throughout the year there are numerous drives carried on in our school. These are for worthwhile purposes, but still they rob a student of his classroom time.

How can anyone talented in art or music serve his community if there are no courses provided in which he might train and develop his abilities? It is true that we have a music appreciation class, and I know from personal experience that it is very beneficial, but this class does no more than. It title explains. A pupil learns to appreciate and understand classical music, but he needs an opportunity to participate in an activity that will deepen understanding. We should have a band and a glee club. These would be an asset to the community of Appomattox.

A student can be of more service if he has a broad outlook. The development of a Fields Trip Committee could accomplish this.

You all know that it is better to learn by doing and seeing. This committee could plan educational tours for the various classes in high school and in the grades. This has been done in a number of schools and has proved worthwhile.

You are all older and much wiser than I. Please don't think I am imprudent in what I am going to say next. I can easily be wrong, and if I am, I want to be corrected.

More then likely a child will follow the example of others who are older and who should be wiser. I want to speak of two examples that are before us constantly. There is an example of poor ethics, stubbornness, thoughtlessness of others, and poor conduct. If parents don't disagree agreeably, how can they expect their children to? I have learned to give and take. It is not possible to have my way always, but I know stubbornness won't win a friend. Our school can better serve our community if we can help the school and community to work for ONE COMMON CAUSE and not for personal glory.

The other example before us is here within the school. If the school is to serve the community at all the faculty must work together cooperatively. WILL THE STUDENTS RESPECT THE AUTHORITY OF TEACHERS IF THE TEACHERS THEMSELVES DON'T RESPECT AUTHORITY? In school there shouldn't be any personal likes and dislikes. If a teacher is forever working against another member of the faculty, how can the school offer its best?

Those are not statements on behalf of the student body; they are MY views.

I appreciate this opportunity to express myself before you, and I want you to know that I am sincere in everything I have said. I love my school and my community, and I thank God that I have been born here. I have so much to be grateful for, and I shall do my best to show my gratitude by working diligently to prepare myself that I might better serve my community through service as a teacher.

Route One

Route One, Appomattox, May 22.—Miss Harriett Chilton, of Washington spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Chilton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brewer, of Brookneal visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Jones on Sunday.

Mrs. G. A. Woodward is visiting relatives in Tennessee. Mrs. Woodward has sold her farm to Mr. Jerkins, of Buckingham, who expects to move here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Nash visited Mrs. Mike Johnson and Mrs. Jim Marshall on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stera visited relatives in Newport News over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Marshall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marshall in Lynchburg Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Marshall's sister, Mrs. Elliott Marshall, who is a patient at the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Claim Consumer Interests Ignored

The most important man in the market place—the consumer — is being ignored by Virginia's producers and distributors, a committee of the Advisory Council on the Virginia Economy reports.

The result, said the committee, is that both consumers and sellers are losing money— the consumer because prices are too high, and the seller because he cannot sell enough.

In a survey of marketing in Virginia, the committee found that sales of the agricultural, sea food and manufacturing industries of the Old Dominion are far below what they could be. In some cases Virginia products are being outsold in their own back yard by products that have to be shipped clear across the nation.

Apples from the West Coast outsell Virginia apples throughout the Old Dominion and the rest of the South. Farmers on Virginia's Eastern Shore still raise sweet potatoes of a type for which demand is so slow that every year it gluts the market and is bought by the Federal government at support prices.

Quick-frozen, neatly packaged fish fillets from New England sell here more cheaply than Virginia fish, even after transportation costs are added in.

Inefficiencies in the location and operation of city wholesale produce markets - like the one in Richmond- cost consumers millions of dollars annually, the report said.

EVERGREEN PTA

The Evergreen Parent - Teacher Association held its last meeting the session Tuesday, May 15. meeting was called to order by president and then turned the the program leader.

Scripture, Mrs. Carl Wood; Prayer, H. C. Staples.

Others taking part on the gram were Mrs. Louise Fore, J. K. Hamilton, Mrs. Lizzie Snead and Mrs. Clara Garrett.

The following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. J. K. Hamilton
Vice-pres., Mrs. Carl Wood
Secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Ryland Staples
Reporter, Mrs. Louise Farmer.

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ANNOUNCEMENT
Beginning Tuesday, June 1st 1951
The two banks at Appomattox will close each day of the week at 2 o'clock P. M.
We will appreciate Your Cooperation in observing this change in closing hour
The Bank Of Appomattox
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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

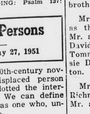
International Uniform Sunday School Lessons

BY DR. KENNETH L. FOREMAN

Displaced Persons

Lesson for May 27, 1951

DP's" are no 20th-century novelty. This displaced person for centuries dotted the international landscape. We can define a displaced person as one who, unwillingly or unhappily, is a long way from a home he no longer can or will. A. D. P. would usually go home if he could, but he can't. His home has been bombed out, or perhaps his whole home town destroyed. Perhaps he and his neighbors have been forcibly moved out by a government that wants some people in their places.


Dr. Foreman

The D.P. is usually at first poor, by the nature of the case; a foreigner where he is, sometimes without even a native land to go back to, to find nothing of a home town. Perhaps the most tremendous uprooting of people in recent times has been in Korea, where war victims have had to move out by the mil-

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The Innocent With the Guilty

BUT THE story is of a new one. Back in Bible times many of the Hebrews became D.P.'s. After the downfall of Israel and Judah, thousands of Jews were taken to the country along the Euphrates and Tigris rivers, there to fend for themselves as best they could.

The Bible writers always looked on that experience as a punishment of the nation, and so it was. But the experience illustrates a number of things. One is that the innocent often suffer with the guilty.

Not all those who were forced into those long death-marches had to blame for their country's wrong-doings. Bad decisions of kings and council resulted in personal disasters to thousands who had had nothing to do with their king's bad policies or their aristocrats' debauched lives.

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D.P.'s Taking Root

ANOTHER thing to be noticed in the Bible story of these Hebrew D.P.'s is the way they took hold, wherever they were, and helped to build up the country and help themselves at the same time. They took root, in short, and even when later their descendants were free to go "home," relatively few ever went back to Palestine.

From that time to this, the Jews have been scattered over the wide world, living (where it has been possible) as local citizens of whatever lands they call their own. We can still read Jeremiah's letter (ch. 29) to the D.P.'s from Judah, urging them to buy land, to lay out vineyards and plan houses and generally make themselves at home in Babylon.

We read of an Ezekiel, owning a home and settling down in Babylon. We find Daniel the boy as a page in the royal household of Nebuchadnezzar, and as a man rising to prominence and power. Many of the D.P.'s took their places among the best citizens of their enforce adopted lands.

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D.P.'s In American History

SO it has often been since. The United States alone owes a great deal to D.P.'s. The famous statue of Liberty is a welcome-sign to such people. The Pilgrims who came over in the Mayflower were D.P.'s, nearly twice uprooted. The Huguenot protestants, driven from France by official persecution, became top-level, successful citizens in England and America.

Revolutionary troubles in Europe a hundred years ago brought to America shores Carl Schurz, for example, a fugitive from then police of two countries because he was a revolutionist; here in America becoming a top success in many fields; several of the army, minister to Spain, secretary of the interior, prosperous businessman executive, editor of great daily newspapers, writer and orator of international fame. Not all D.P.'s become famous; but many thousands of them, throughout the troubled ages, have been a blessing to the lands that sheltered them.

So it may be in our time, that as God has before now brought good out of evil, he may in our troubled world bring even from the miseries of deportation and homelessness again new understandings, fresh beginning, and an interweaving of many strands of humanity into a stronger fabric than before.

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Stonewall

Stonewall, May 22.- The farmers are all so glad to see this nice today season so they plant their plants before they get too big.

Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell Smith, of Kingsport, Tenn. spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carson. Miss Anne Carson of Lynchburg joined her sister and brother-in-law for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carson had as their dinner guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Davis Smith and son, David, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Davidson and children, Jessie Davidson and Miss Jean Howerton.

Mrs. Lucy Sisson and family of Richmond spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Parks Jennings

Mr. and Mrs. Hoadley Drake and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Drinkard at Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moorman, Jimmie and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Betsel and baby girl, Linda Sue spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Drinkard.

J. E. Chick, of Spout Spring called to see Mr. and Mrs E. L. Chick on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings have as their guest, her mother, Mrs. Thompson, of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Turnes visited their children at Gladstone on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and daughter, Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick visited Mrs. Chick's sister, Mrs. Frank Drinkard Sunday. Mrs. Drinkard is having more trouble with her eyes. Hope she won't have to go back to the hospital for another operation on them.

Mrs. J. H. Board spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Chat Chapman and family in Farmville.

Pamplin

Pamplin, May 22.- The ordination of the Rev. F. Lawson Pankey took place at the Elon Baptist Church Sunday P. M. Rev. Pankey is originally from this church. He graduated with a Bachelor of Divinity degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky. The ordination sermon was preached by the Rev. E. R. Bruner, of Farmville. Other ministers of the Association participated.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chandler and son, Terry, of Guam, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. H. T. Terry. A. B. Chandler is in the U. S. Navy, has been stationed in Guam for about two years and is now on a furlough. Other week-end visitors in the Terry home were Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Robinson and children, of Phenix, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terry, and wife, of Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Terry and children, of Cole, Miss Ann Terry, of Glasgow, and H. F. Terry, Jr.

Mrs. Howard Claytor, of Roanoke was a week-end visitor in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Black.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. McCall spent the week-end with friends at Martinsville.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Parks Hackney and daughter, Martha Gayle, left last Tuesday fora two month vacation in California. They will attend the Southern Baptist Convention which meets in San Francisco next week.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. O. B. Brooks were her sisters, Mrs. C. R. Taylor and Mrs. Allie Carwile, of Martinsville.

Dr. and Mrs. V. W. Sears and children, of Appomattox were dinner guests in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. Parks Hackney on Saturday.

Out-of-town relatives attending the ordination services at the Rev. Lawson Pankey were Mr and Mrs. Howard Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pankey, of Appomattox, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Parcell and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pankey, of Yorktown, Mr. and Mrs. George Murphy, of Newport News, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pankey, of Roanoke, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deaney, of Madisonville.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. C. C. Rosser were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rosser and little daughter, of Spout Spring and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Covington and children, of Hixburg.

The Business Womans' Circle met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Divie Garrette.

Samuel Archer, of Baltimore, is spending a few days with his family here.

Richwood

Richwood, May 22.—Uncle can not pull while he is kicking and he can not kick while he is pulling. Neither can you." —Quoted.

Services at Wesley Chapel at 3 P. M. Sunday.

Robert Hunter spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pillows, of Norfolk were the week-end guests of Mrs. Lillie Pillow and family.

Mrs. Jack M. Hamilton was in Lynchburg on business Saturday.

John Wooldridge is sick at this writing.

E. R. Davis and Atwell Powell, of Lynchburg were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh on Sunday afternoon.

C. M. Rush was in Lynchburg on business Friday.

C. J. Watt, of Washington, D. C. is spending some time at his home here.

Spring Mills

Spring Mills, May 22.- Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee and children, of Gladys visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Lee on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee visited with Mrs. Carrie Ford on Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Booth and little daughter, Judith, of Lynchburg visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fitz Lee on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stowe were recent visitors in the home of her father, H. P. Lee and her stepmother, Mrs. Lee.

G. E. Owen is in the Memorial Hospital taking treatment from Dr. Scott for a heart ailment.

Mrs. Lawrence Brooks and children, of Danville, woo have been visiting her father, G. E. Owen, have returned to her home.

Miss Rebecca Owen, of Washington is visiting her father, G. E. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Monroe visited in the Ford home Sunday night.

T. H. Ford and daughter, Mrs. Bernice Pankey and others motored through Southwest Virginia, through the Great Smoky Mountains, on into Kentucky, to see the Kentucky Derby.

The Daily Vacation Bible School will be conducted at Union Hill beginning June 4 at 2:00 P. M., with Mrs. L. P. Brown, superintendent; Mrs. Russell Gilliam, principal; Mrs. Clandia Foster, leader of the intermediates; Mrs. Jo Joy, leader of juniors; Mrs. Marion Jennings, leader of primaries, Mrs. Carrie Ford, leader of beginners. Each leader can call in any helper she may need. There are also provisions made for children under four years of age.

Barbara, Jean and Virginia Lee West, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. James Ford. Mr. and Mrs. James Ford, Jimmy and Jackie Ford accompanied them home Sunday afternoon.

Appomattox Newscast: 12:30 to 12:45 each Friday over WWOD.

Liberty Chapel

Liberty Chapel, May 22.- Mrs. Percy Garrett and Mrs. Jessie Harvey were hostesses at a shower Saturday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sperry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reynolds were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds. Others visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scruggs.

Sorry Mrs. Percy Garrett is ill. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Supper guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill were Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Odgen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sperry and Miss Gloria Ann Lewis, all of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Alice Grow spent several days in the home of Mrs. Elsie Merryman.

Medical group says that transplanted kidney fails to work.

Crisis in rubber supply is reported over.

Cotton textile industry asks for 50-day delay in starting new OPS pricing order.

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Here are Wilbur Shaw's reactions—in his own words—as taken down by a recording machine in the car:

"The '51 Chrysler has it! With this new engine and power steering, the first on any U.S. car, it's a whale of an automobile.

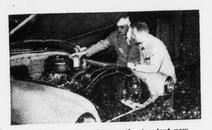
"I'm completely bowled over by the ease of steering!

"This steering combined with the automatic transmission . . . is the nearest thing to an *automatic pilot* for a car I can possibly imagine.

"This engine . . . I can't get over the amount of power and snap in this engine . . . It's incredible!

"I drove 111 miles with the feeling I had expended no more effort than in driving around the block.

"When Mrs. Shaw drove, her comments just about squared with mine. Here's what she thinks of the 1951 Chrysler . . ."


Shaw inspects FirePower, the greatest new engine in 27 years.

Smartly styled Chrysler convertible to pace Indianapolis 500-mile race.

Mrs. Shaw: "At first I could hardly believe the ease with which I could turn the wheel. That's important . . . especially in the summertime.

"Often after I have parked a car in the average parking space, I feel I should taxi home, shower and get dressed again. But with Hydraguide Power Steering I parked it with one hand. It practically drives itself."

Wilbur Shaw: "It's hard to describe this new Chrysler without going off the deep end . . . it has it in every department.

"In fact, I think so much of this car, I've selected it as Pace Car of the 1951 Indianapolis 500-mile race!"

(Mr. Shaw's comments are reprinted through the courtesy of Popular Science Magazine.)

*Mr. Shaw refers of course to standard passenger cars—not racing cars or special models.

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